

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Thursday, September 26, 2019
9:00 AM PDT

Day 1: One more day of warmer temperatures over Northern California before a weather system moves over the region bring periods of light rain and snow fall over the Sierra Mountains through this weekend. Expect strong wind gusts up to 50 mph along the California mountain ranges.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

09/26/19 - 10/02/19

Thursday-Saturday

- Isolated showers and thunderstorms this morning over southern California through Arizona will increase coverage this afternoon, however widespread convection is not anticipated at this time.
- One more day of warm temperature before turning cooler Friday through the weekend as a cold front passes through the region.
- Snow showers expected over the Sierra Mountains and Cascades beginning Friday evening into Saturday morning.
- Morning temperatures in the low 40s and afternoon highs in the mid 60s over Northern California.
- A cold front will bring additional cooler air with periods of light rain from Point Conception and southward starting Thursday evening through the weekend.
- Strong winds gusts up to 50 mph along the Sierra Mountain ranges may be expected.

Sunday-Wednesday

- Temperatures warm on Tuesday and Wednesday as high pressure slides over the region but remain a few to several degrees below normal.
- Another Pacific weather system is forecast to approach the Northern California coast around Thursday of next week.
- Expect mostly clear skies over Southern California beginning Sunday through the middle of next week.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

09/26/19 - 10/02/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds			Sierra Mtns	Sierra Mtns			
Snow			Sierra Mtns	Sierra Mtns	Sierra Mtns		
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	SE CA						
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Extreme Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



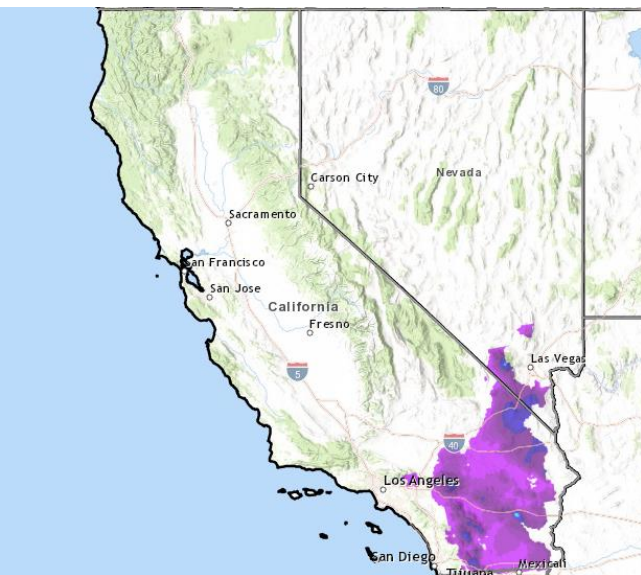
Moderate Impacts



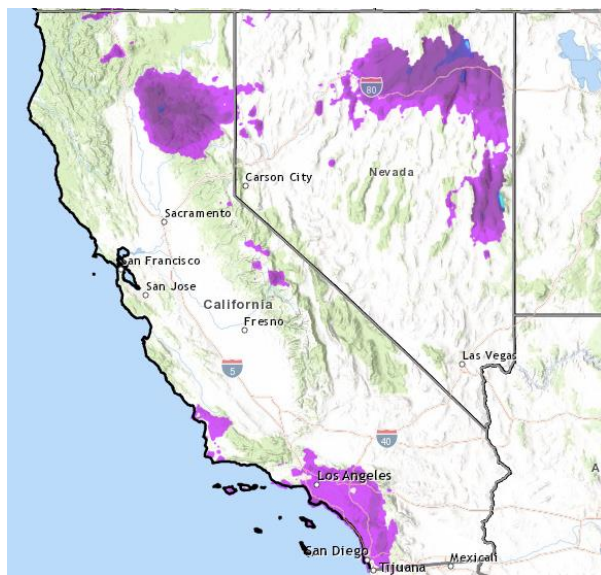
Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

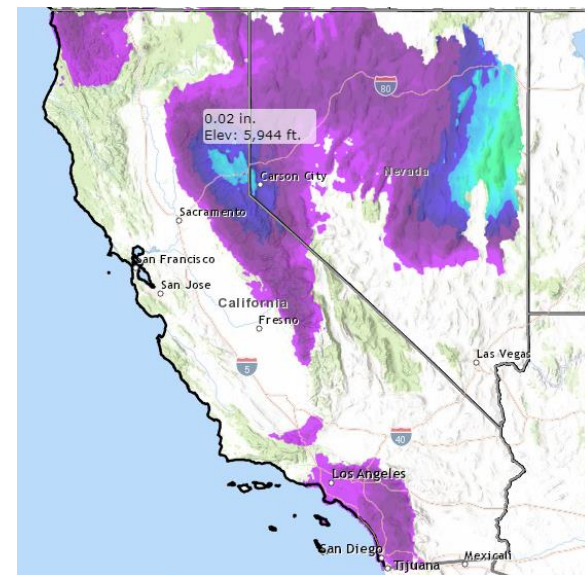
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Thursday



Friday



Saturday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

10/01/19 - 10/09/19

6-10 Day Outlook (October 1 – October 5)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures highly favored across most of the state.

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation favored for majority of the state. Slightly above normal for Northern California.

8-14 Day Outlook (October 3 – October 09)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures slightly favored across Interior region.
- Near and slightly above normal temperatures favored for Southern and Coastal regions.

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation slightly favored across northwestern portions of the state.
- Otherwise, near normal precipitation favored across the remainder of the state.



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